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1. It is reported that the Russians have completed the draft of a peace treaty which they will offer to "a united Germany" after the elections scheduled in East Germany for 15 October 1950. The original Russian text of the treaty was delivered on 14 August to Anton Ackermann, the State Secretary for Foreign Affairs. The Soviet commission appointed to draft the treaty consisted of the following persons: Ambassador G.M. Pushkin, S.A. Rolunsky, and (fnu)Saburov, the latter two described as of "SMA Berlin"; the document was also signed by Ivan F. Semichastnov, representing General Chuikov.
2. The proposed treaty covers 94 points of which the following are the most important:
 - a. The sovereignty of the German Democratic Republic is re-established, and the state of war is ended.
 - b. Following the ratification of the treaty the Soviet Control Commission will cease to exist.
 - c. Soviet forces will be withdrawn from Germany in six to eight months after ratification.
 - d. The Soviet government will be released from any remaining obligations under the Potsdam agreement.
 - e. The German Democratic Republic will fight, side by side with the Soviet Union, for a free and united Germany.
 - f. The Soviet Union recognizes the German Democratic Republic as the only legal government of Germany.
 - g. The Soviet Union will support the admission of the German Democratic Republic into the United Nations Organization.
 - h. In case of any threat to the security of the German Democratic Republic, the Soviet Union and the People's Democracies allied with the Soviet Union will render practical assistance.

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- i. The German Democratic Republic is authorized to maintain a police army of 100,000 men, in addition to 50,000 border police. If the Republic is threatened, it will be permitted to increase its armed forces by 100,000 men.
- j. The rearmament of the German Democratic Republic does not include equipment with heavy weapons, but only with light arms.
- k. The German Democratic Republic is authorized to draft men for a two-year term to fill the ranks of the police.
- l. Within six months after ratification of the treaty the German Democratic Republic will demand that the western powers leave Berlin.
- m. The Germans will be permitted to build aircraft and to construct a merchant marine amounting to 2,000,000 registered tons.
- n. The German Democratic Republic is to pay reparations in goods to the Soviet Union during a four-year period, in value up to \$450,000,000 (per year?).
- o. The Soviet Union will retain the use of the harbor and dock facilities at Wismar for ten years.
- p. The German Democratic Republic accepts responsibility for the war criminals incarcerated at Spandau.
- q. The German Democratic Republic and the Union of Socialist Soviet Republics agree in the view that all attempts by West Germans and by foreign war-mongers to disturb the order and security of the German Democratic Republic will unavoidably lead to war.
- r. The uranium deposits in Germany are put under the control of a special administration.

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